Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 06 Oct 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 07 Oct 2021

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 05 Oct 2021 at 11:15

Confidence: High for a dry morning with some rain in afternoon Wednesday but lower with regard to cloud and rainfall details thereafter with a waving band of rain sitting over central Northern Ireland.

Headline for Wednesday 06 Oct 2021: Bright morning, cloudier with some rain in afternoon, southerly winds strengthening.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 06 Oct 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Clear night	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Light rain	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
<05%	00%	00%	00%	10%	60%	40%	30%

Forecast for Wednesday 06 Oct 2021

Weather: Dry with long clear spells through the early hours. Then a bright morning with sunny spells but cloud thickening and lowering to bring outbreaks of rain from mid-afternoon, the rain becoming lighter and patchier through the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 100% through the morning and early afternoon falling close to zero later in the afternoon.

Visibility: Periods or persistent cloud developing above 450-600m from mid-afternoon, with patches below. Otherwise visibility very good with some decent panoramic views of surrounding hills, especially through the morning, falling to several kilometres in rain later.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	24/35 NW	20/30 NW	12/18 NW	7/11 SW	14/20 S	20/29 S	21/30 S	26/37 SW	28/40 SW
300	13/25 NW	11/21 NW	6/12 NW	4/8 W	7/13 S	11/20 S	11/21 S	14/25 SW	16/28 SW
Valley	11/23 NW	9/19 NW	5/10 NW	3/7 SW	7/13 S	10/20 S	9/19 S	11/23 S	13/26 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	5/-0	5/0	5/2	7/5	7/4	7/3	9/5	11/6	11/7
300	7/3	6/3	6/4	9/8	10/8	10/7	11/8	12/10	13/10
Valley	7/4	7/4	7/5	10/9	11/10	11/9	11/10	13/11	14/12
<< Freezing Level*	1300m	1300m	1300m	1400m	3000m	3200m	3400m	2900m	2800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Valley temperatures locally around 3 or 4 Celsius at dawn. Gusts around 50mph over ridges and summits through evening.

Forecast for Thursday 07 Oct 2021

Weather: Rather cloudy with outbreaks of rain, some brighter spells possible but unreliable.

Maximum wind: Southerly or southwesterly 30-35mph with gusts around 50mph over ridges and summits, easing from mid-afternoon.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: Near zero, improving to 40% at times

Visibility: Periods or persistent cloud above about 450-600m, cloud likely to become more occasional above 600m at times. Otherwise visibility good, falling to several kilometres in rain.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Around plus 11 or 12 rising to plus 15 Celsius, perhaps 17 Celsius in any brighter spells
At 700m: Rising to plus 11 or 12 Celsius
Freezing level: Well above the summits

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